

Project Proposal

Proposal Title: Goring Ranch Water Project

Proposal Number: 1475

DWR Region: Northern Region

Lead Agency: DWR

County: Box Elder

Project Manager: Ron Greer

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Regional Priority: Within Focus Area

Project Type: Terrestrial Habitat

Proposed Start Date: 7/1/2009

Project Location: Whites Valley, NW of Tremonton, Utah

Project Description: Completion of water line

Description of Problem/Need: In the Whites Valley, water is a very limiting factor. Mule deer, greater sage grouse and sharp-tailed grouse will move great distances to reach water in the driest parts of the summer, leaving suitable habitat other than the water. This area will benefit greatly with the addition of water available to wildlife. While this is an area where livestock are run in the fall and spring, the troughs would be left on in the summer to benefit the wildlife. This portion would complete the pipeline already in progress.

Objectives: To increase the availability of water to the Whites Valley area.

Relevance to Strategic Plans: This project will address the needs of conservation of the Tier II and Tier III species noted in the WAP identified in section 5.1, namely mule deer, greater sage grouse and columbian sharp-tailed grouse.

Potential Risks: none

Proposed Methods: using the engineered water system provided by NRCS, the landowner will contract and also do much of the work himself to install the pipeline as designed.

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Seed Source:

UPCD Reg Team Coord Date: 1/14/2009

Proposed NEPA Action:

Proposed Arch Action:

☐ **Vegetation Monitoring** ☐ **Wildlife Monitoring**

Monitoring Information:

Grazing Management:

SPECIES BENEFITING

Mule Deer	Greater Sage-grouse	Sharp-tailed Grouse	Shrubsteppe Birds
Raptors			

LAND OWNERSHIP

Owner	Acres
Private	
	Total

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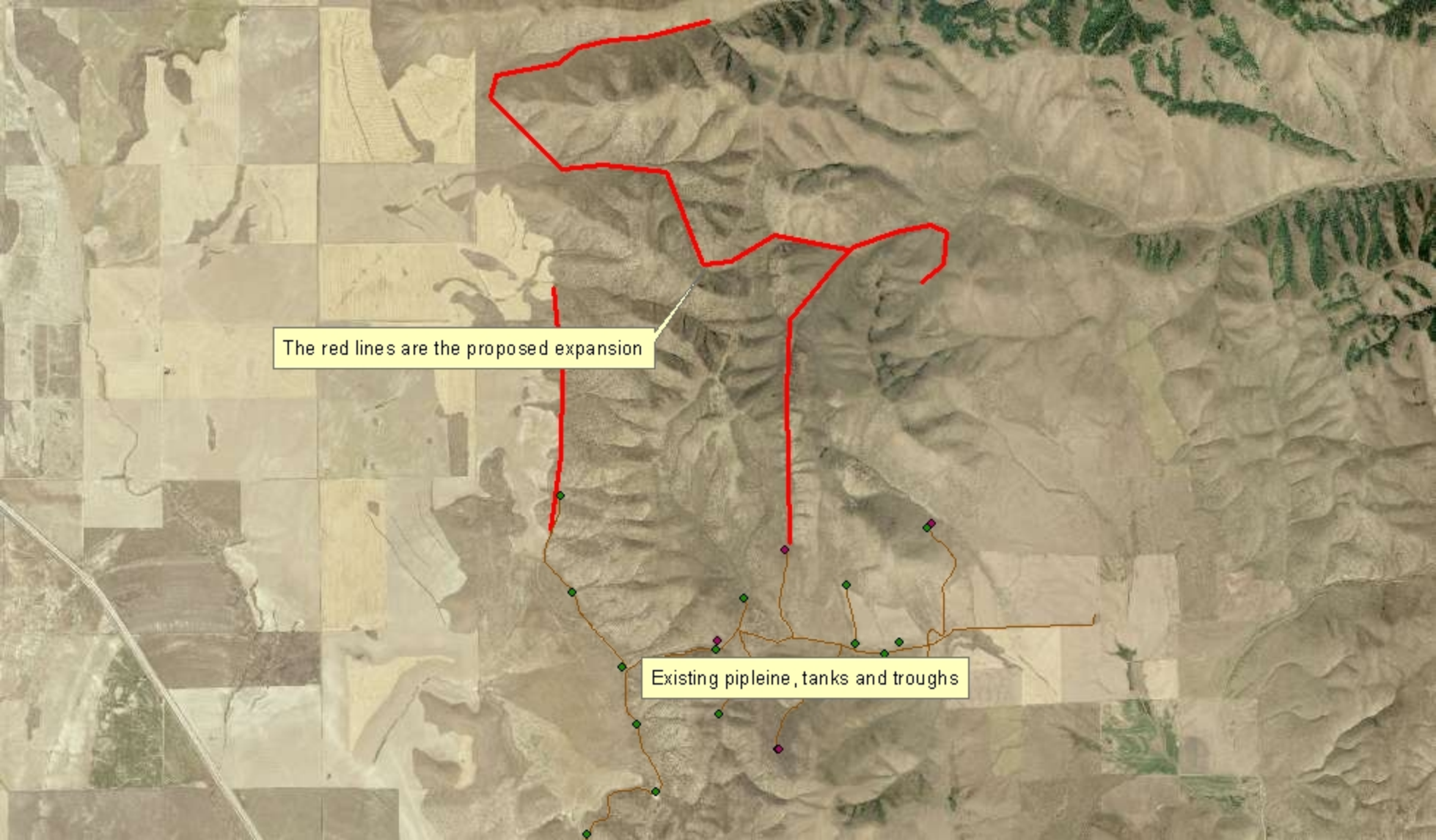
PROPOSED FUNDING

Source	Amount Requested	Date Approved	Amount Approved
Unfunded Balance	\$60,000.00		\$0.00
GIP	\$60,000.00		\$0.00
NRCS	\$0.00		\$81,625.00
GIP	\$0.00		\$55,750.00
Private	\$0.00		\$75,949.00
Totals	\$120,000.00		\$213,324.00

PROPOSED BUDGET

Item	Description	DWR Account	Partner Contrib.
Contractual Services	NRCS payment on completed work	\$0.00	\$81,625.00
Contractual Services	GIP payment on completed portion	\$0.00	\$55,750.00
Personal Services	land owner investment to date	\$0.00	\$75,949.00
Materials and Supplies	tanks, line, troughs	\$60,000.00	\$24,000.00
Personal Services	installation	\$0.00	\$36,000.00
Totals		\$60,000.00	\$273,324.00

Project Map:



The red lines are the proposed expansion

This is an aerial photograph of a mountainous, arid landscape. A network of red lines is overlaid on the terrain, representing a proposed pipeline expansion. The red lines start from a central point and branch out in several directions, following the contours of the mountains. A yellow callout box with a pointer indicates these lines. Below the red lines, a brown line represents an existing pipeline, with several green diamond markers indicating tanks and troughs. A yellow callout box with a pointer identifies these features. The terrain is rugged with many ridges and valleys, and some green vegetation is visible in the upper right corner.

Existing pipeline , tanks and troughs